

**PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of
Kazuo CHIKARAISHI

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Appln. No.: 10/517,659

Group Art Unit: 3611

Confirmation No.: 1370

Examiner: Octavia L. DAVIS

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For: ELECTRIC POWER STEERING DEVICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of April 2, 2007 to August 2, 2007.

The statutory fee of \$120.00 is being submitted via EFS payment screen. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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